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For: TRANSGENIC MAMMAL CARRYING GANP  
GENE TRANSFERRED THEREINTO AND  
UTILIZATION THEREOF

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**AMENDMENT AND RCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In further response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-3, 5, 6 and 12-19, and the Advisory Action of January 21, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.